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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.56 and in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.97 et. seq., applicant, through and by his attorney, hereby directs the Examiner's attention to the documents enclosed.

A Form PTO 1449, Information Disclosure Citation, listing the cited documents is attached.

This IDS is being submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d) and §1.97 (e) (2):

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